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## Part II—Section 2

**Notifications or Orders of interest to a Section of the public  
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### NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

#### REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

*Secretariat, April 20, 2020*

No. II(2)/REVDM/232(m)/2020.

DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT, 2005 – COVID-19 - EXPERT COMMITTEE TO FORMULATE THE GUIDELINES FOR PHASED EXIT - RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE TO STATE DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY - ORDERS – ISSUED

The following Government Order is Published:

*[G.O. Ms. No. 198, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II), 20th April 2020,  
சித்திரை 7, சார்வரி, திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2051.]*

READ:

1. G.O.Ms.No.172, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated 25.3.2020 and addendums issued thereon.
2. G.O.Ms.No.190, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated 13.4.2020.
3. G.O.Ms.No.193, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated 15.4.2020 and amendment issued.
4. G.O.Ms.No.238, Public (Special-B) Department, dated 16.4.2020 and GO.Ms.No.1235, Public (Special-B) Department, dated 17.4.2020.
5. From the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration, Letter No.OCI/563/2020, dated 20.4.2020.

The Government constituted an expert committee in the orders fourth read above, headed by the Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Finance Department, with officials and non-officials as members to generate suggestions and to advise on the way forward after 20th April, 2020 and also the strategy to take measures in the post lockdown period.

2. Based on the recommendations given by the Expert Committee and discussions held under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Chief Minister in the State Disaster Management Authority meeting on 20.4.2020, the Government after careful examination order as follows:

(i) To continue the lock down until 3rd May 2020 with the conditions notified in GO.Ms.No.172, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated 25.3.2020 and addendums issued thereon;

(ii) The relaxations to be considered after 20th April 2020 suggested by Government of India and notified in the GO.Ms. No.193, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated 15.4.2020 will not be made applicable in Tamil Nadu; and

(iii) The already existing exemptions for essential activities and services which were in vogue will however continue.

(By order of the Governor)

K. SHANMUGAM,  
*Chief Secretary.*